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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Ronald J. Pettis et al.

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For: METHODS AND DEVICES  
FOR ADMINISTRATION OF  
SUBSTANCES INTO THE  
INTRADERMAL LAYER OF  
SKIN FOR SYSTEMIC  
ABSORPTION

Attorney Docket No: 11219-022-999

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated May 31, 2005 be extended for a period of two month(s) from August 31, 2005 to and including October 31, 2005.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$450.00 . Please charge the required fee to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 50-3013. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Date: October 31, 2005

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